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ACQUISITION OF U.S. CITIZENSHIP BY BIRTH ABROAD TO U.S. CITIZEN PARENT

Changes

1. **Summary:**
 - Correction to language defining naturalization in 1131.6-3
 - Correction to citation in 7 FAM 1131.5-3 “Paternity Issues”
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